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Subject: HPV Filing

Attached is the HPV filing for 2-Ethylhexyl Diphenyl Phosphate, CAS 1241-94-7.

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December 30, 2002 Via email and FedEx

Mr. Oscar Hernandez Director, Risk Assessment Division (7403M) U. S. Environmental Protection Agency 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW Washington, DC 20460

Attn: Chemical Right-To-Known Program

Re: HPV Challange

2-Ethylhexyl Diphenyl Phosphate CAS Registry Number 1241-94-7

Dear Mr. Hernandez:

As part of Ferro Corporation's commitment under EPA's High Production Volume (HPV) Challenge Program, Ferro is pleased to submit its proposed testing approach for 2-Ethylhexyl Diphenyl Phosphate. This submission consists of this cover letter, a Test Plan, and robust summaries for the existing studies available on 2-Ethylhexyl Diphenyl Phosphate.

Ferro understands that this Test Plan will be posted on the Internet and subject to a 120-day comment period. Ferro further understands that all comments by EPA or received by EPA will be forwarded to Ferro for consideration. In the event that additional information on existing studies of 2-Ethylhexyl Diphenyl Phosphate

becomes available to Ferro during the 120-day comment period, Ferro may wish to amend its submission.

This submission is also being sent electronically to the following e-mail addresses:

oppt.ncic@epa.gov chem.rtk@epa.gov.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If EPA requires any additional information about this submission, please contact me at 216-750-6696 or olsona@ferro.com.

Sincerely,

Alan J. Olson, P.E. Director of Technology